HOUSE BILL 4047

By Towns

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, relative to tuberculosis.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 9, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

Section 68-9-117. In any case when an individual tests positive for the latent tuberculosis infection, the individual is to be reported to the department of health and treated in accordance with this chapter.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, the public welfare requiring it.